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It is hereby respectfully submitted that the enclosed documents complete the filing of the above patent application and justify the filing date of July 13, 2001. Please telephone the undersigned at (408) 453-9200, if there are any questions. This form is being submitted in duplicate.

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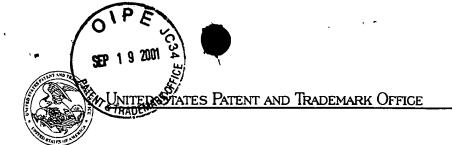
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